

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Johan Dewald Lubbe

Group Art Unit: 3781

Application No.: 10/524,431

Examiner: Robin Annette Hylton

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Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

REPLY TO OFFICE ACTION

In reply to the Office Action mailed March 17, 2008, **the period for response having been extended to August 17, 2008 (a Sunday) by a request for extension of two months and fee payment filed concurrently herewith**, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification are included in this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims in this paper.

Amendments to the Drawings are included in the attached replacement drawing sheet. The amendments are discussed in this paper.

Remarks/Arguments follow the amendment sections of this paper.

Attachments to this amendment include **one Replacement Sheet - FIGURE 2**.